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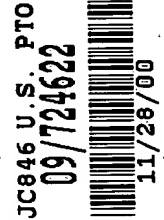
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For: NONWOVEN FABRIC LAMINATE WITH MELTBLOWN WEB HAVING A GRADIENT FIBER SIZE STRUCTURE

Enclosed are:

- ☒ Twenty-one (21) pages of specification, five (5) pages of claims (Claims 1-26), one (1) page of Abstract, and three (3) sheets of drawings (Figs. 1-3).
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